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Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is a Provisional patent application, in support of which the following information is provided:

- a. This is a **Provisional Patent Application**
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- c. **Residences of Inventors:**
- d. **Title: Identification of Fire Signatures for Shipboard Multi-Criteria Fire Detection Systems**
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